

## STATE OF WASHINGTON

## HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD

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## **RESOLUTION NO. 04-03**

WHEREAS, Eastern Washington University has requested approval to establish a Master of Occupational Therapy; and

WHEREAS, The program responds to a new requirement established by the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education mandating that the profession be educated at the graduate level; and

WHEREAS, The program will be recognized as fully accredited by the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy; and

WHEREAS, The program will address the demand for occupational therapists, especially in rural areas of Eastern Washington; and

WHEREAS, The diversity plan and student learning outcomes and assessment methodologies are exemplary; and

WHEREAS, Eastern Washington University has agreed to provide revised course syllabi, satisfactory to HECB staff, by July 1, 2004;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Higher Education Coordinating Board approves the Eastern Washington University request to establish a Master of Physical Therapy, effective immediately.

Adopted:

March 25, 2004

Attest:

Bob Craves, Chair

Ann Ramsay-Jenkins, Secretary